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## THE PREACHER



To Him That Knoweth to do Good, and Doeth It not, to Him It is Sin, Jas. 4:17.

Everybody will agree with this. This is the world's verdict as well as the verdict of the word of God—the man or the woman who might do a good deed, and who shirks and refuses is a sinner.

And this is the common and the dangerous sin.

Many people are not brave enough to kill a man or steal a horse. But that same cowardice keeps them from doing the things that ought to be done.

Christ pictures the day of Judgment. The sheep are on the right

hand and the goats on the left. "Then shall the king say to them on the left hand, Depart from me ye cursed, for I was hungry and ye did not give me to eat, I was thirsty and ye gave me no drink, I was a stranger and ye took me not in, naked and ye clothed me not, sick and in prison and ye visited me not."

"Then shall they answer, saying, Lord, when saw we thee hungry, or athirst, or a stranger, or naked, or in prison, and did not minister unto thee?"

"Then shall he answer them saying, Inasmuch as ye did it not unto one of these least ye did it not unto me."

O, my hearers, do not think that you are good because of the bad things which you do not do. Do not be satisfied with yourselves because you do not swear, or steal, or get drunk.

Ask the questions which God asks. Am I doing all I can for my family? Am I doing the best I know for my neighbors? Am I contributing my full share for the support of the church? Am I getting all the education and good influence I can for my children? Am I helping the poor and sorry people around me as much as I might? Do I act like a man who loves God with all his heart, and his neighbor as himself? Do I act like one who believes that God will help those who try?

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### THIS WEEK

Three pages are full of good news for every young man and young woman in Appalachian America. Berea College has made it possible for the poorest to stand on an equal footing with the richest in getting an education. It provides courses of study leading all the way from the a, b, c's, to an A. B. degree. Home Science, Agriculture and Manual Training courses offer the very best of preparation for those whose ambition is to be a farmer or a farmers' wife. Seven great schools in one make Berea College and the makers of these schools have also made it possible for many boys and girls to come to Berea, live in Berea and graduate from Berea cheaper than they can stay at home. Hundreds of fathers and mothers who have read the information on these three pages have sent children to Berea. Why not others.

### COMING

A series of articles on "What, When and How to Eat," will begin next week. Things that people do and think least about, often injure their health most. Man is making great progress in the art of controlling everything except his appetite. This he leaves to care for itself, and in bad company too. A little thought given to the study of foods, their combinations, and effects will work wonders. Dr. Eugene Christian, the noted diet specialist, will give you some excellent advice for the next three weeks. Don't miss it.

### SMALL SACRIFICES.

Thousands that are capable of great sacrifices are yet not capable of the little ones which are all that are required of them. A multitude of successive small sacrifices may work more real good in the world than many a large one.

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## Find a Way—or Make It

The good fighting man does not quit easily. The man or woman who believes in God is bound to believe that **What ought to be done can be done.**

Even Christ could not work miracles in one place "because of their unbelief."

Now hundreds of people let their children grow up without advantages, when they might have advantages if they were willing to work and plan and strive for them.

It is better to go without a great many things than to go without education. It is better to give one child a chance than to let all grow up without advantages. The parent or child that is in earnest will find a way. **And heaven helps those who help themselves.**

## The Good Neighbor

The Citizen heard the other day of a farmer who had a rather sorry neighbor. The man had been laboring on the public works somewhere, drawing good wages and spending everything as fast as he got it.

He thought it was a great calamity when the works shut down, and he was very slow to agree to work for the farmer for a little house and garden and a dollar a day.

But he was farther from the store and did not spend so much. His wife and children enjoyed working in the garden and made most of their living there. When pay day came the farmer said "I am rather hard run; let me pay you twenty and keep five till next time." "All right," said the man.

The next month the same thing happened, and the next. By and by the man came to the farmer and said he wanted to buy a horse, and asked him to lend him the money. "Just wait a bit, and ride my horse when you need to," said the farmer.

A few days after, the farmer said to the man, "Why don't you buy a cow? You could save the meat bill for your family, and sell something to the creamery, and the cow would help you to buy a horse." The man studied on it and pretty soon he picked his cow.

Finally, when the farmer sold his cattle, the man asked for the money he had been holding back at pay times. "All right," said the farmer, "I have put it in the bank for you, and here is your cheque book. The bank pays you four cents on the dollar every year, and whenever you need it you can draw out up to \$85." "What, have I got \$85 in the bank!" exclaimed the man. I never had so much before in all my life."

And that was the making of a prosperous family. The farmer's advice started the saving, and the planning, and today the farmer and his man each has a share at Berea.

## EXTENSION WORKERS REACH PERRY

Large Audiences—Many Conversions—Berea Students and Signs of Progress.

Rev. Chas. S. Knight

Editor Citizen, Berea, Ky.

Since our last letter we have held meetings in Dryhill, Wooton, and Cutshin and are just now in the midst of very interesting services in Viper, on the new line of railroad through Perry County. At Dryhill we were warmly received by a large congregation of young people who after listening to several fine musical selections splendidly rendered by our excellent talking machine, a number of recitations and an illustrated lecture on better homes, schools, churches, farms and roads—returned the next night with many of the older people to hear our lecture on Habits, and Sanitation and Health. The third day being Sunday we preached to a very large attentive audience at ten a. m. and in the evening after showing pictures on the subjects of temperance and the Life of Christ we preached a revival sermon and gave the invitation for all who were willing to forsake sin and accept Christ to come forward. Over forty responded, many of them shedding bitter tears of repentance and we have every reason to believe all were utterly sincere in their decision to follow the Lord.

The people of Wooton having had a taste of Extension work last year were eager to welcome us and came out in large numbers.

In the last meeting over twenty-five came out on the Lord's side.

Next we moved over to Cutshin and were royally entertained by Mr. Jas. Lewis and family, several members of which have spent more or less time in Berea. It is never any trouble to recognize old Berea students for in most cases they shine as a lamp in the dark, and do good wherever they go.

We had a nice camp under a large beech tree at Cutshin and the kindness of the people in bringing us good things to eat will not soon be forgotten. Our meetings were good, but only resulted in the conversion of six persons. We hope however that the large number of Christians present were benefited, and that they live

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## WHO FOUNDED BEREA COLLEGE?

Who Suggested It—Rogers Called—Charter Secured—Richmond Mob—The Flight.

By George Candee

Nobody, Berea College just grew—like Topsey. It grew from small seeds. It was not built by some great founder.

When this question was being discussed a few years ago, Brother Fee wrote me, at Toledo, to ask if I remembered our first conversation concerning the importance of establishing a permanent school in connection with our work there, and if I remembered which of us two first suggested that subject. I answered that I did remember our conversation and had noted the result of it. I was not certain as to which one of us introduced the subject, but that since I was fresh from Oberlin and was curiously infected with the school germ, I feared I was the guilty party.

I never knew which one he thought it was.

That conversation occurred at the woodpile, where we were chopping wood after our return from a preaching campaign in a nearby neighborhood. We agreed that a movement should be started at once to inaugurate such a valuable adjunct. The A. M. A. readily responded to our suggestion and commissioned primary teachers to come on and break ground. Wm. Lincoln and I think G. B. Waters from Oberlin were among the first.

Then later, Rev. J. A. R. Rogers, an Oberlin College and Theological graduate, a very acceptable preacher heard the Master's call to leave an easier field and come down to Berea and organize and manage a higher grade school. He became its Principal. His wife and others were his assistant teachers.

This school soon became so popular under the very enthusiastic and efficient management of Mr. and Mrs. Rogers that it drew numerous students in from the Blue Grass region and, soon, had to enlarge its school rooms.

It's growth was so promising that its friends soon felt the time had come to legalize its organization. Meetings were called to discuss and plan. The result was the drafting, adopting and securing of the Charter

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## UNITED STATES NEWS IN OUR OWN STATE

### FUNERAL OF SENATOR JOHNSON

Enormous crowds of distinguished citizens of Alabama gathered at Birmingham, Ala. for the funeral of Joseph F. Johnson who died last week at Washington. A large delegation of Senators and Congressmen were present.

### SENATOR JOHNSON'S SUCCESSOR

The political situation at Washington is materially affected by the death of Senator Johnson which takes one from the very slender Democratic majority in the Senate. The constitution gives to the Senate the power to judge the right of Senators to hold their seats. There is no appeal from the decision of the Senate on this point. The situation is complicated by the fact that Alabama has just adopted a constitutional amendment providing for direct election of her Senators. And there is also a special provision to the amendment of the constitution which provides that the amendment shall not affect the election of Senators chosen before this amendment becomes valid.

### GEORGE E. GORMAN



George E. Gorman, who now represents a Chicago district in congress, attended Georgetown university in Washington, is a lawyer and is forty years old.

### RIOTS IN NORTH DAKOTA

Eighty arrests were made at Minot, North Dakota in consequence of the strike by the Industrial Workers of the World who were encouraging harvest hands to refuse to work except wages were increased. The fire department was called out to aid the police in quelling the riot.

### GOV. SULZER DENIES CHARGES

In the statement issued to the press Governor Sulzer of New York State denies that he was using campaign contributions for personal purposes. He denies speculation in Wall Street with campaign money. He states that his account with Harris and Fuller was a loan made on stock and not a speculative account.

### TENNESSEE LAWYER SHOT

W. F. Coulter and his son, Harry Coulter, leading lawyers of Tennessee were shot and killed at Trenton by J. A. Alford of Rutherford. The reason for the shooting is found in domestic affairs.

### AROUND THE WORLD IN 35 DAYS

John H. Mears of the New York Sun arrived in the office of the Sun August 8th at 10:18 p. m., completing a trip around the world in 35 days 21 hours and 38 minutes. He was 3 minutes behind his schedule which he made out before he left New York. The previous record was 39 days, 19 hours and 43 minutes.

### FOR A BIG NAVY

Secretary Daniels of the Navy declares for a navy on the water rather than one on the shore. He recommends four new battle ships.

### MONEY FOR MOVING CROPS

United States treasury is preparing a schedule for the distribution of loans to Banks thruout the country to be used in moving crops. The cotton growing States will receive the first instalment. These loans are to be secured by proper collateral.

### FATHER SHOTS HIS SON.

Racine, Wis.—Because his son, Chas. Patsold, aged 28 years, did not at once obey orders to drive cattle from a corn field. Ernest Patsold, 62 years of age, proprietor of a hotel at Wind Lake, Racine county, shot and killed the son. An hour later, when Patsold returned to the hotel and found his son was dead, he went to a grove and sent a bullet into his right temple. It is believed he will die.

### OLLIE JAMES PRESIDENTS FAVORITE.

Last week State Chairman Thomas B. Riley of Massachusetts, was in Washington selecting speakers who might be able to take active part in the campaign against ex-Governor Foss for re-election in Massachusetts. President Wilson immediately put forward the name of Senator James of Kentucky as the most desirable man. Three of the cabinet members, Wilson, Bryan and Redfield had already accepted invitations to go into the Bay State, but President Wilson thought that no one could represent the policies of the administration as effectively as Senator James.

Governor Foss has been twice elected as Democratic Governor of Massachusetts, but owing to his recent action in regard to the tariff legislation the Democrats of the State are doing all in their power to defeat him if he runs independent for the third term as it is expected he will do.

### DEMOCRATS GET BUSY.

The coming fall elections are arousing the Democrats to action. The first step was taken recently when the Democratic nominees met at Lexington and elected State Senator Thomas A. Coombs as chairman of the Democratic State Committee.

Headquarters are in the Security and Trust building and Mr. Coombs has been authorized to select his secretary and bill of affairs. The Fayette Executive Committee is working with the nominees and active work will begin for the coming campaign at once.

### ELECTION OFFICERS MUST SERVE.

Judge Scott of Fayette County has issued warrants against several prominent Fayette County men for failure to serve as election officers. They had been appointed and notified but paid little attention to the responsibility placed upon them. Four of the warrants have been served and the others are awaiting the return of the defendants who are at present away from home. The law provides a very severe penalty for any citizen who fails or refuses to act as judge of an election, after having been appointed and notified.

### LOUISVILLE COLLECTORSHIP SETTLED.

The internal revenue collectorship at Louisville is the most important revenue office in the State. For some time a hard fight has been on for the position but it is now very sure that T. Scott Mayes of Springfield will be appointed September 1. Secretary McAdoo was away from Washington until Tuesday afternoon, but as soon as he returned Senator James introduced Mr. Mayes to the Secretary and presented his indorsement.

Mr. Mayes is at present County Attorney of Washington County and has been employed as accountant to the District of Columbia committee of the House of Representatives at Washington. He has also been renominated for County Attorney of Washington County.

### KENTUCKY PROGRESSIVE DEAD.

The direct primary returns from the election last week give evidence that the Moose has taken to the woods in Kentucky. Political conditions are returning to their normal condition in this State as well as in West Virginia, where the death knell of the Progressives has also been sounded.

In seventy-three out of the 120 counties in Kentucky the party has disappeared to the extent that no nominations were made in the recent election. In the remaining forty-seven counties where Progressive tickets were out the organization gave very little evidence of long life. JOHN S. RHEA APPOINTED JUDGE.

Following the resignation of Judge W. P. Sandidge of the Seventh District, which was accepted by Governor McCreary, August 11, former Congressman John S. Rhea of Russellville was appointed. The acceptance of the appointment by Rhea changes the political situation in the Third Congressional District. Rhea was expected to enter the race against Congressman Thomas, for Congress in the primary next year, but he is now out of the race.

### MORE RICH COAL VEINS FOUND.

Twelve miles south of Hazard two of the best coal veins in that section have been discovered. An expert has been investigating in that vicinity for some time and finally started operations which uncovered a vein, known in other sections as No. 5, which measures five feet five inches, also vein No. 6 shows up nine feet six

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